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New U.S. Patent Application

Title: Methods and Systems for Managing Purchasing Data

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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

1. Application- 42 pages, including 3 independent claims and 63 claims total.
2. Drawings- 8 sheets of drawings (Figures 1-7B).

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3. The filing fee is calculated as follows:

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This application is being filed under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(f).
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Please accord this application an application number and filing date.

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